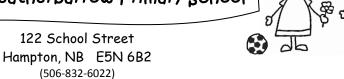


# Dr. A.T. Leatherbarrow Primary School



#### D.A.T.L. PSSC Committee Meeting, March 16, 2016

Attendees:

Lisa Jardine Lindsay Hall Sue Delong

Sara Creighton April LeBlanc Nicole Wannamaker

Jen Sheils Emily Dee (Home and School)

Regrets:

Andrea Hughes Beth Carson Sarah Brannon

Pam Wallace April Leblanc

#### **Agenda and Minutes:**

## Meeting opened 6:30pm

## **Minutes**

#### **D.A.T.L. Report card 2015-2016:**

Lisa reviewed the provincial assessment and results (in reading). Provincial assessments are completed every year in language arts. This year's results were distributed to the group. The assessment took place in May 2015, for the children that have moved onto grade 3.

Results- D.A.T.L. 93.4, district 76.9, province 79.1

Lisa reports they are pleased with results, however, she indicated it will be interesting to see if there will be any change with the 1.0 literacy last year down to 0.6 this year.

**Plickers:** Sarah demonstrated use of plickers. Kids really enjoy using it in school. There are many potentials for use in terms of surveys with families when they are here.

## Hi lights of what is happening at D.A.T.L.

 Attendance Matters- D.A.T.L. has been tracking tardiness. There is only a very small group of children that are tardy and often due to family issues. Staff is just happy that the kids are attending school. Lisa reports they are taking a supportive approach when talking with parents.

- AED- AED training has begun with Heart and Stroke. 45 min introduction session. Follow up will be a 2-hour session, 6 people will participate from the school. Lisa was in contact with Kings County record for a story on this, Dr. Stevenson to be interviewed. 911 aware where it is located when someone calls. Alarm is on it to deter kids from accessing.
- Art for the Heart- Sarah and Lisa are discussing potential dates, including June 2, 2016. Giving tree theme is an option. Ideas: Green theme, each child would make cement leaf or stepping stones in leaf shapes.
- Playhouse for playground- Lisa has contacted Mr. Cameron at Hampton High School to see if he and his students would be willing to make a playhouse for the school. He has agreed to work on this. A picture was emailed to him. A little house with a porch and ramp with door opening and 8' by 8' in size. Building will start this week.
- Outdoor classroom- Waiting on benches for outdoor classroom from District. Lisa may look into purchasing benches from Costco.
- Parent Teacher- Student lead parent teacher, March 31 and April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016. Home Reports are out March 29, 2016.

Reminder that the April meeting will involve the completion of the Principal's feedback report. Lisa and Sara will not be in attendance for this meeting.

The next meeting will take place on April 13, 2016 from 6:30 pm-7:30pm.

7:30pm, meeting Adjourned.

Submitted by Lindsay Hall